

10/542010

JC20 Rec'd PCT/PTO 11 JUL 2005
PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of

Jun FUJITA et al.

Application No.: New U.S. National Stage of
PCT/JP04/00195

Filed: July 11, 2005

Docket No.: 124688

For: CERAMIC HONEYCOMB STRUCTURE BODY AND METHOD OF
MANUFACTURING THE SAME

INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Pursuant to 37 CFR §1.56, the attention of the Patent and Trademark Office is hereby directed to the references listed on the attached PTO-1449. Unless otherwise indicated herein, one copy of each reference is attached. It is respectfully requested that the information be expressly considered during the prosecution of this application, and that the references be made of record therein and appear among the "References Cited" on any patent to issue therefrom.

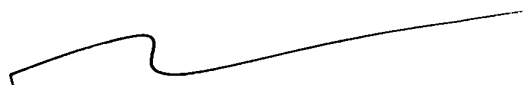
- ☒ 1. This Information Disclosure Statement is being filed (a) within three months of the U.S. filing date of this non-CPA application, OR (b) before the mailing date of a first Office Action on the merits in the present application. No certification or fee is required.
- ☒ 2. The references 1-3 were cited in an International Search Report. An English language version of the International Search Report is attached for the Examiner's information.
- ☒ 3. English language Abstracts of the non-English language references 1 and 3 are attached hereto.

JC20 Rec'd PCT/PTO 11 JUL 2005



4. A computer-generated English language translation of the following Japanese Patent Publication has been obtained from the website of the Japanese Patent Office ([<http://www.jpo.go.jp>]), and is attached, but has not been reviewed for accuracy. See Reference 1.

Respectfully submitted,



James A. Oliff
Registration No. 27,075

Eric D. Morehouse
Registration No. 38,565

JAO:EDM/mps

Date: July 11, 2005

OLIFF & BERRIDGE, PLC
P.O. Box 19928
Alexandria, Virginia 22320
Telephone: (703) 836-6400

<p>DEPOSIT ACCOUNT USE AUTHORIZATION Please grant any extension necessary for entry; Charge any fee due to our Deposit Account No. 15-0461</p>
--

Form PTO-1449 (REV. 8-83)		US Dept. of Commerce PATENT & TRADEMARK OFFICE		ATTY DOCKET NO. 124688		APPLICATION NO. <div style="font-size: 1.5em; font-weight: bold; text-align: center;">10/542010</div> <small>New U.S. National Stage of PCT/JF04/00195</small>	
INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT (Use several sheets if necessary)				APPLICANTS Jun FUJITA et al.			
				FILING DATE July 11, 2005		GROUP	

U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS						
EXAMINER INITIAL		DOCUMENT NUMBER	DATE	NAME	CLASS	SUB CLASS

FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS						
		DOCUMENT NUMBER	DATE	COUNTRY	CLASS	SUB CLASS
	1	JP A 2002-102627 w/ abst & transl	4/9/2002	JAPAN		
	2	EP 1 101 910 A2	5/23/2001	EUROPE		
	3	WO 03/031371 A1 w/ abst	4/17/2003	WIPO		

OTHER DOCUMENTS (Including Author, Title, Date, Pertinent Pages, etc.)		

EXAMINER	DATE CONSIDERED
Examiner: Initial if citation considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with M.P.E.P. 609; draw line through citation if not in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to applicant.	

Date: July 11, 2005